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**IN RE APPLICATION OF:**

**KUNIO SEKIYA, ET AL.**

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OF DRUM DRYER USED IN PAPER MACHINE**

**GROUP ART UNIT: 1731**

**APPLICATION NO.: 09/806,020**

**EXAMINER: MARK HALPERN**

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Sir:

Applicants respond to the Final Office Action mailed July 20, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as set forth below and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims**, if any, are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this Response.

**Remarks/Arguments** to the Final Office Action begin on page 4 of this Response.